

7. The method of claim 1 wherein said effective beginning time and play duration time are determined based on a collective time of previous image files and a given play duration time.

8. A software control program operable for running simultaneously on a plurality of computers to control a presentation utilizing said plurality of computers, each of said computers being associated with at least one unlike presentation display, each of said plurality of computers comprising a local storage wherein said local storage contains a plurality of image files to be displayed during a presentation, at least one scenario file for each of said plurality of computers which comprises timing and sequence information for each of said plurality of image files in said local storage, said software control program comprising:

a read scenario command to read said scenario file;

at least one get image command to retrieve each image file listed in said scenario file; and

a software timing control operable for coordinating timing of display of each image file for each of said plurality of computers.

9. The software control program of claim 8 further comprising said software control program being written in a platform independent computer programming language so as to operable on computers having dislike operating systems.

10. The software control program of claim 9 wherein said platform independent computer programming language is a Java computer programming language.

11. The software control program of claim 8 further comprising a display command to designate a particular presentation display of a set of unlike presentation displays for a desired monitor of a multiple monitor computer.

12. The software control program of claim 11 wherein:

there is associated with each respective monitor of a multiple monitor computer in computer local storage a

display raster area which is a part of a composite raster area for all the monitors of the multiple computer monitor; and

said display command designates a particular monitor for said particular presentation display by setting an x, y position within said composite raster area identifying the desired raster area for said presentation display.

13. The software control program of claim 8 further comprising a time control program for setting an internal clock of all of said plurality of computers to a common time.

14. A method for making a presentation for display on a first plurality of computers forming respective computer stations, utilizing a software control program, said method comprising:

installing said software control computer program on each of said first plurality of computers for the control by each computer of at least one unlike presentation display;